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Senior Class of Chester High School

CHESTER, VIRGINIA

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Foreword . . .

IT is generally conceded that one's high school days are his happiest; during this period, also, a firm foundation for future life is built. These all important days should never be forgotten. It is the purpose of this volume of the "*Reflector*" to see that these days last long after they are really gone. It is the hope of the Staff that this book will preserve memories of happiness and joy and bring back pleasant dreams of by-gone days.

My best wishes!
Nancy Creath

Dedication

As a token of our great appreciation of her willingness to help each of us at all times, her thoughtfulness and patience, her ability to smile, and her complete understanding of our problems, we, the Senior Class of 1940, dedicate our "*Reflector*" *to*

Miss Nancy Creath

Mr. E. S. H. Greene

SUPERINTENDENT

Mr. Fred D. Thompson

PRINCIPAL

Best wishes!

Fred D. Thompson

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Blackstone College, University of Virginia
FOURTH GRADE

Class Song

Oh Chester High to you,
All our hearts are true,
And we work with heart and hand,
To spread the fame of your honored name—
Through out this mighty land.
Though the wide world calls,
From your well loved halls,
Where the gold and azure fly—
While our hearts grow light,
And our eyes grow bright,
As we sing of Chester High.

Chorus:

Then here's a cheer for alma mater,
For our beloved alma mater.
Here's to the school of sterling worth,
Here's to the best old school on earth.
Stand up and sing and swell the chorus,
And let the world with praise resound.
And let the colors floating o'er us . . .
Never touch the ground.

Words by Phyllis Barden
Tune . . . Adapted

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MILDRED MANAHAN
VICE PRESIDENT

ANNA MARIE FICKE
SECRETARY

FRANCIS ANNE LINDSEY
MASCOT

HELEN CURTIS
TREASURER

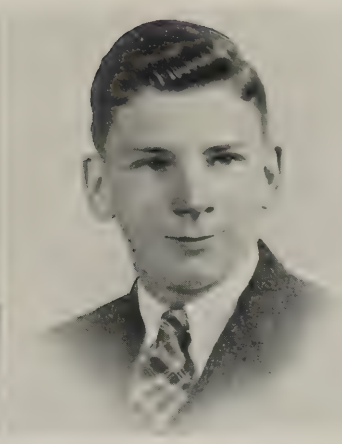
1940

RAY FRANKLIN ADAMS

"The grace of sports is the grace of life."

Bellemeade Junior High School 1; Baseball 1; Hi-Y Club 1; Class P'ay 1; Chester High School 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Athletic Association 2, 3, 4; President 3; Secretary 4; Football 4; Track 4; Government Club 4; "C" Club 4.

May you have as the success as the years go by.



WILLIAM BURDETT ADAMS

"Any time will do."

Athletic Association 1, 2, 3, 4; Class P ay 3, 4; Old Ironsides Club 4; Government Club 4; Circulation Manager "Chester Hi News" 4; Football 4.

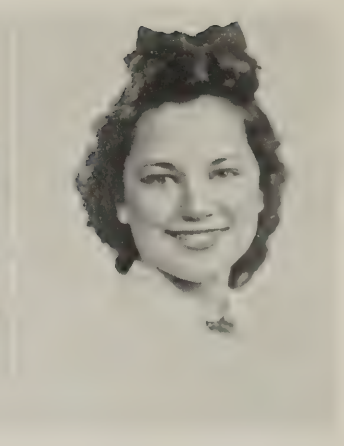
Best of luck and success to you

MARGARET EVELYN AUTRY

"A sweet and charming little girl, with a smile for everyone."

Bellemeade School 1; Girls Reserve 1; 4-H Club 1; Chester High School 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 2; Home Economics Club 2, 3, 4; Government Club 4.

Best Wishes always!



PHYLLIS LEE BARDEN

"I love her for her smiles, her look, her way of speaking gently."

Bellemeade Junior High School 1; Safety Patrol 1; Girls Reserve 1; 4H Club 1; Chester High School 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 2; Athletic Association 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 4; Government Club 4; Senior Editor "Reflector."

Here's hoping you have much success & happiness

The Reflector

Best of luck to you always

WILLIAM RICHARD BARNES, JR.

"A little nonsense now and then,
Is relished by the best of men."

Central High School 1, 2, 3; High School Cadet Corps 1, 2; Cheer Leader 2, 3; Kappa Phi Sigma Fraternity 1, 2, 3; President 3; Secretary 2, 3; Traffic Club 2; Inter-Fraternity 3; Chester High School 4; Old Ironsides Club 4; Government Club 4.

May you always have as good a time as you have had in Chester

EDNA BELLE BEAN

"Her air has a meaning, her manner a grace,
You turn from the fairest to look on her face."

Bellemeade Junior High School 1; Girl Reserves 1; Director of Class Play 1; 4-H Club 1; Library Assistant 1; Chester High School 2, 3, 4; Athletic Association 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 2; Library Assistant 4; Old Ironsides Club 4; Commercial Club 4; Government Club 4; Class Representative, Junior Red Cross 4; Picture Editor "Reflector" 4.

SARAH ELIZABETH BLANKENSHIP

"Silence is a friend that never will betray."

Home Economics Club 3, 4; Government Club 4.

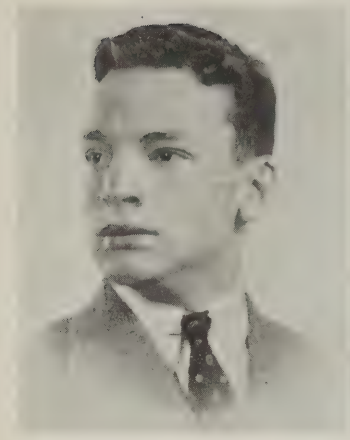
Best of luck to you always
Elizabeth

JOSEPH BREWER

"Silence speaks louder than words."

Commercial Club 3; Athletic Association 4; Government Club 4.

Best wishes to you always

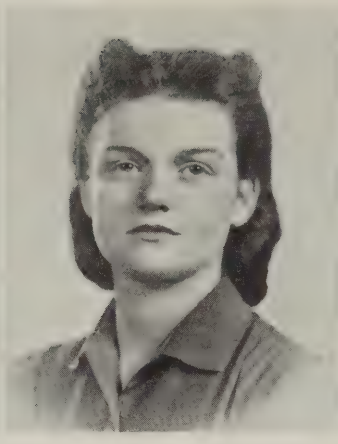


HARRY WILSON BROWN, Jr.

"It is always fair play that wins,
The field of glory is his."

Athletic Association 1, 2, 3, 4; President 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Baseball 3, 4; Old Ironsides Club 3, 4; Track 4; Class Play 3; Government Club 4; Vice-President "C" Club 4; Assistant Business Manager "Reflector" 4.

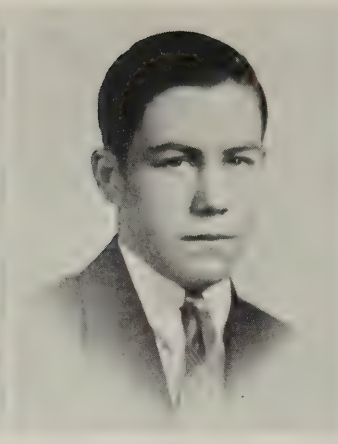
Best wishes
Harry



BARBARA JEANNE BURTON

"She was not inclined to labor
For herself or for her neighbor
For she dearly loved her ease."

Roosevelt High School 1; Glee Club 1; Garfield High School 2, 3; Economics Club 2; Library Club 3; Chester High School 4.



WESLEY BURTON

"The best work of the world is done on the quiet."

Athletic Association 1, 2, 4; Government Club 4.

Best of Luck
Wesley

SHIRLEY LEE BURY

"Nothing's impossible to a willing heart."

Glee Club 2; Home Economics Club 2; Athletic Association 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 2; Government Club 4.

Best of success
and happiness.
Shirley

The Reflector

AGNES LORENE CARR

"Her hair is sunny like her heart."

Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Home Economics Club 2, 3, 4; Government Club 4.

Good Luck always
Alfred Chalkley

ALFRED COTLIN CHALKLEY

"Nothing ever, hardly ever, troubles me."

Athletic Association 3, 4; Glee Club 4; Government Club 4.

Best Wishes
Ritchie Clarke

STUART RITCHIE CLARKE

"Good nature and good sense must ever join."

Athletic Association 4; Government Club 4.

Best of luck
always!!
Eliza

ELIZA WOODING COLLINS

"Always kind and friendly,
Ever sincere and true."

Whitmell High School 1, 2; President Garden Club 2; Home Economics Club 2; Dramatic Club 2; Library Club 2; Chester High School 3, 4; Home Economics Club 3; Glee Club 3; Government Club 4.

HELEN MAE CURTIS

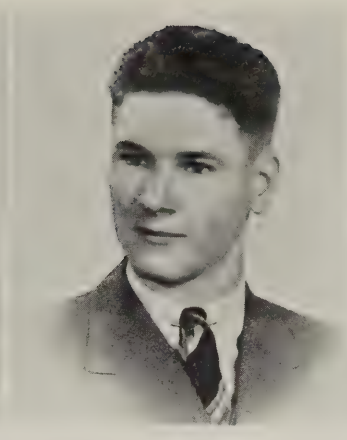
"On her and on her high endeavor
The light of praise shall shine forever."

Athletic Association 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Play 3; Junior Editor "Reflector" 3; Historian "Reflector" 4; Government Club 4; Class Treasurer 4; Class Historian 4.

Best of everything!
Helen

CHARLES DAVID

"A smile with intent to do mischief."



JESSE WILLARD EYLER

"Rare compounds of gaiety, frolic and fun.
Who relishes a joke and rejoices in a pun."

Safety Patrol 1; Commercial Club 3; "C" Club 4; Football 4; Government Club 4; Circulation Manager "Chester Hi News" 4.

We live and learn and die and forget it all. But don't let this [illegible]

ANNA MARIE FICKE

"An intellect of highest worth, a heart of pure gold."

Athletic Association 2, 3, 4; Home Economics Club 2, 3, 4; President 4; Library Club 2; Glee Club 3; Class Secretary 3, 4; Treasurer Government Club 4; Reporter "Chester Hi News" 4; Circulation Manager "Reflector" 4; Salutatorian.

Remember a certain person that we have a common interest in. In your estimation he is a sissy but in mine — oh. well. —
Best wishes.
Anna Marie

The Reflector

Best of luck always,
Flippen

MARJORIE JANE FLIPPEN

"To vamp, or not to vamp, that is the question."

Chester High School 1, 2; Athletic Association 1, 2; Glee Club 1, 2; Home Economics Club 2; Thomas Jefferson 3; Athletic Association 3; Secretary Glee Club 3; Home Economics Club 3; Class Play 3; Chester High School 4; Athletic Association 4; Vice-President Glee Club 4; Home Economics 4; Government Club 4; Commercial Club 4; Red Cross Relief Corps 4; Reporter "Chester Hi News" 4.

SARA FOY GAY

"Her talents were of the more silent kind."

Class Secretary 1; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Home Economics Club 2, 3, 4.

We're wishing the best of luck in the [illegible]

Here's hoping you have lots of success in later years,
Jimmy

JAMES CECIL GOODWYN

"Better be small, and shine, than great and cast a shadow."

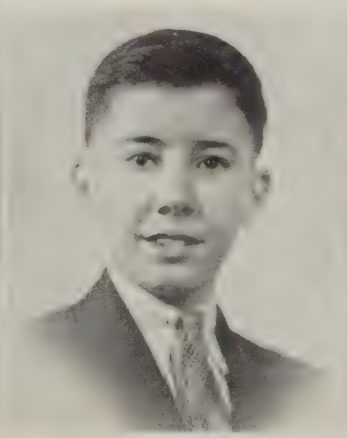
Athletic Association 3, 4; Manager Football 3, 4; Manager Baseball 3, 4; Manager Track 4; Commercial Club 4; Government Club 4; Secretary-Treasurer Derby Club 4; Secretary-Treasurer "C" Club 4; Business Manager "Reflector" 4.

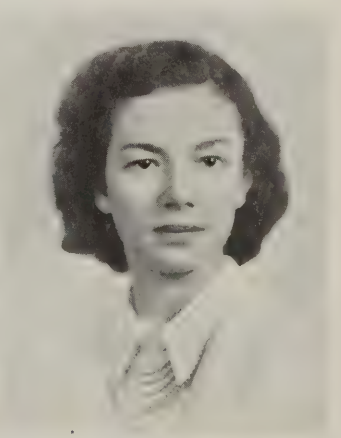
Here's hoping you much success in the future.
Adele

ADELE MARIE GOYNE

"Never too sober, never too gay,
A rare good girl in every way."

Athletic Association 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Home Economics Club 3, 4; Class Play 3, 4; Government Club 4; Commercial Club 4; Assistant Manager Basketball 4; Reporter "Chester Hi News" 4; Assistant Business Manager "Reflector" 4.





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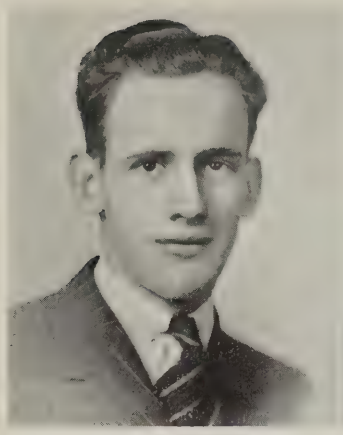

LACY GILES GUILL

"I dare do all that may become a man,
Who dares do more is none."

Safety Patrol 1; Athletic Association 1, 2, 3, 4; Derby Club 3; Baseball 3, 4; Government Club 4; "C" Club 4; Class President 2; Vice-President Student Body 4; Vice-President Commercial Club 4.

How about a [illegible] in your class?
Lacy

EILEEN EDNA HAMMERSLEY

"In quietness and confidence shall be your strength."

Athletic Association 2, 3, 4; Government Club 4.

Does your heart still [illegible]
[illegible]

RITA MATHEWS HATCHER

"It's not whether you win or lose,—
But how you play the game."

Athletic Association 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Play 3; Basketball 3, 4; Commercial Club 4; Government Club 4; Chopo Editor "Chester Hi News" 4; Editor-in-Chief "Chester Hi News" 4; Class Prophetess 4; Sports Editor "Reflector" 4.

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LUTIE ONIS HOUSE

"Dashing, happy, and always gay."

Binford High School 1; Dramatics Club 1; Personality Club 1; Class Vice-President 1; Chester High School 2, 3, 4; Home Economics Club 2, 3, 4; Athletic Association 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 4; Government Club 4.

I hope some day you will be the best hostess in the world. You have a "sure start."
[illegible]

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Best wishes for future success.
John

LAUREL JUANITA HOWARD

"Her eyes as stars of twilight fair,
Like twilights, too, her dusky hair."

Athletic Association 2, 3, 4; Government Club 4.

Don't [illegible] in high school days and [illegible]

NANCY CULLOM IRVINE

"Sweet are the thoughts that savor of content."

Petersburg High School 1, 2, 3; Jefferson Literary Society 1; Athletic Association 2, 3; Chester High School 4; Government Club 4.

Best Wishes
Nancy [illegible]

JOHN HOUSE JONES

"Good actions crown themselves with lasting days.
Who deserves well needs not another's praise."

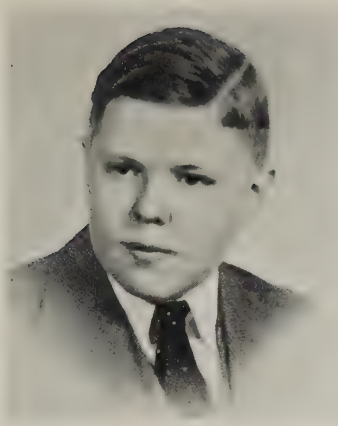
Medford High School 1, 2; Class Vice-President 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2; Football 1, 2; President "Cazadores de Conocimientos" 2; Chester High School 3, 4; Class Play 3; Class Vice-President 3; Old Ironsides Club 3, 4; Vice-President 4; Baseball 3; Football 3, 4; Derby Club 3, 4; President 4; Athletic Association 3, 4; Class President 4; Track 4; Commercial Club 4; President "C" Club 4; Government Club 4; Sports Editor "Chester Hi News" 4; Editor-in-Chief "Reflector" 4; Valedictorian.

LYNETTE KERNODLE

"A quiet mind is richer than crown."

Bellemeade Junior High School 1; Chester High School 2, 3, 4; Athletic Association 2, 3, 4; Government Club 4.

Best of luck and success always
Lynette



FRANK GARLAND LAINE

"Ye happy swain, whose heart is free from love's imperial chain."

Athletic Association 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Play 3, 4; Government Club 4.

CONSTANCE JEAN LOFTIN

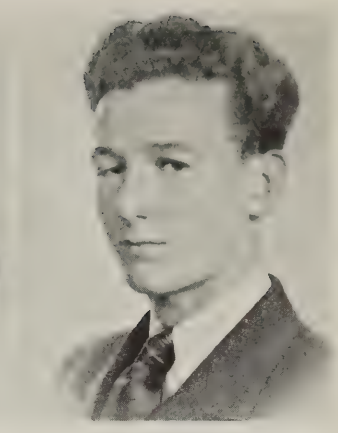
"The joy of youth her eyes displayed and ease of heart her every look conveyed."

Athletic Association 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Play 3; Old Ironsides Club 4; Commercial Club 4; Government Club 4; Assistant Editor "Chester Hi News"; Library Club 1, 2, 3; Club Editor "Reflector" 4.

LOUISE ELIZABETH LOFTIN

"Now what is love, I pray thee tell?"

Home Economics Club 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 3, 4; Athletic Association 4; Government Club 4.



RANDOLPH MACON LONGEST

"Gay in mirthfulness, sober in duty."

Athletic Association 3, 4; Baseball 3, 4; Football 3, 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; Derby Club 4; "C" Club 4; Government Club 4.

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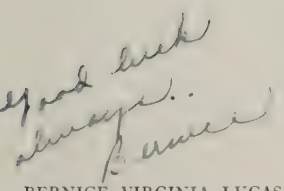
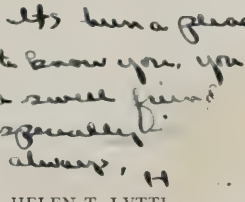
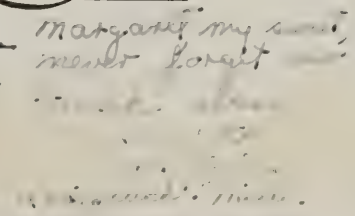
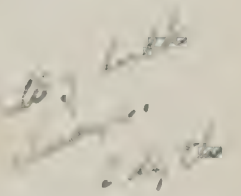








BERNICE VIRGINIA LUCAS

"Quiet persons are welcome everywhere."

Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Home Economics Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Government Club 4; Athletic Association 4.

HELEN T. LYTTI

"I chatter, chatter as I go, Talking to everyone I know."

Athletic Association 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Play 3; Commercial Club 3, 4; Government Club 4; Old Ironsides Club 4; Secretary Student Body 4; Reporter "Chester Hi News" 4.

MILDRED CROWDER MANAHAN

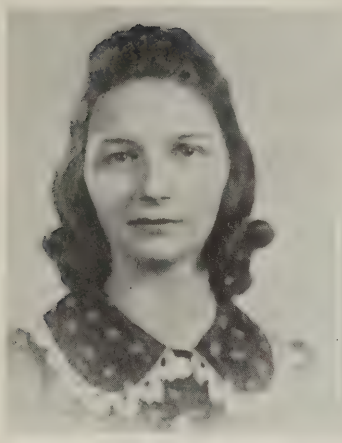
"A smile for all, a greeting glad, An amiable, jolly way she had."

Bellemeade Junior High School 1; President Student Body 1; Safety Patrol 1; Vice-President Girls Reserve 1; 4H Club 1; Class Play 1; Chster High School 2, 3, 4; Class President 2, 3; Class Vice-President 4; Old Ironsides Club 3, 4; President 4; Commercial Club 4; Government Club 4; President Student Body 4; Class Play 4.

EDYTHE YOUNG McALLISTER

"A good heart is better than all the heads in the world."

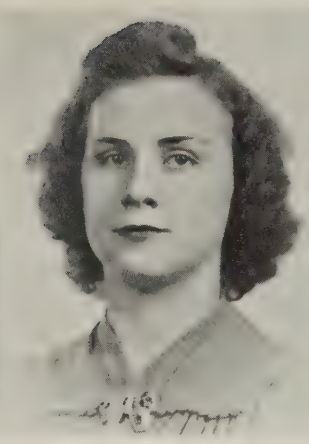
Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Athletic Association 1, 2, 3, 4; Home Economics Club 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; Government Club 4.



MARJORIE EMMALINE MITCHELL

"Did nothing in particular but did it very well."

Home Economics Club 2, 3, 4; Government Club 4.

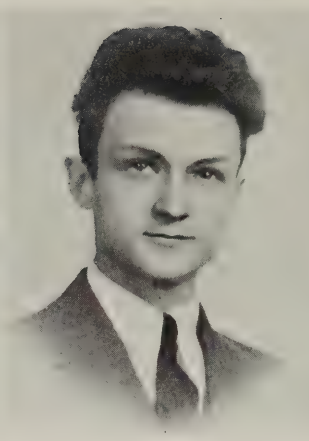


ALMA HARRIETT MOACK

"Softly speaks, and sweetly smiles."

William Byrd High School 1, 2; Valley High School 3; Glee Club 3; Chester High School 4; Government Club 4.

Margaret
I hope you will have much success and happiness through your entire life.
"Alma"



CHARLES HAMMOND MUNN, Jr.

"Nothing can exist without a cause."

Bellemeade Junior High School 1; Hi-Y Club 1; Safety Patrol 1; Chester High School 2, 3, 4; Class Secretary and Treasurer 2; Athletic Association 2, 3, 4; Old Ironsides Club 4; Class Play 4; Government Club 4; Picture Editor "Reflector" 4.

Best wishes and success always.
Charles

FRANCES WILMUTH MUNN

"An expression of fine arts, A sure winner of hearts."

Bellemeade Junior High School 1; Class Play 1; Girls Reserve 1; 4-H Club 1; Safety Patrol 1; Chester High School 2, 3, 4; Athletic Association 2, 3, 4; Class Treasurer 3; Old Ironsides Club 3, 4; Home Economics Club 3, 4; Government Club 4; Class Play 4; Assistant Class Treasurer 4.

Best wished!
Frances

The Reflector

Best wishes in future years
Ogden

ELLEN VIRGINIA NUSSEY

"Love, sweetness, goodness, in her person shine."

Bolling Junior High School 1; Petersburg High School 2, 3; Athletic Association 2, 3; Chester High School 4; Athletic Association 4; Government Club 4; Commercial Club 4.

"Here's wishing you best of luck"
Virginia

OSWALD OGDEN PAREDES

"A true friend, the best of sports."

Athletic Association 2, 3, 4; Vice-President 4; President Government Club 4; Class Play 3, 4; Derby Club 4; Old Ironsides Club 4; Track 4; Senior Editor "Reflector" 4; Class Prophet 4; Chopo Editor "Chester Hi News" 4.

MARGARET ALCA PATTERSON

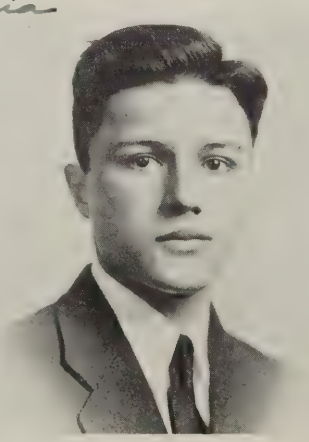
"I love tranquil solitude and such society as is quiet, wise and good."

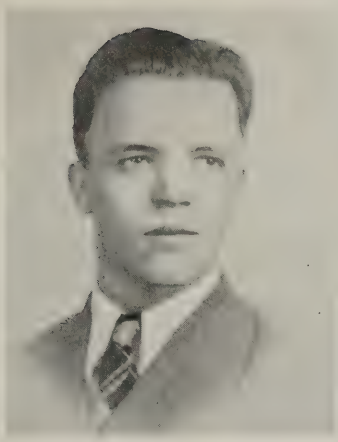
Bellemeade Junior High School 1; Safety Patrol 1; Girls Reserve 1; Chester High School 2, 3, 4; Athletic Association 2, 3, 4; Government Club 4.

LOIS RUTH PAYNE

"A soul sincere, in action faithful, and in honor clear."

Bellemeade Junior High School 1; Girls Reserve 1; Chester High School 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Athletic Association 2, 3, 4; Home Economics Club 3, 4; Government Club 4; Senior Editor "Reflector" 4; Literary Editor "Chester Hi News" 4.





HOWARD RICHARD PELHAM

"In every deed of mischief, he had a heart to partake and a hand to execute."

Blair High School 1, 2; Glee Club 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2; Chester 3, 4; Government Club 4.

Don't you think I look like Clark Gable! Remember all those days in high school and especially under "Shorty" (Butler) Sincerely "Dick"

GRACE BURFOOT PHILLIPS

"Some wits can digest before other can chew."

Athletic Association 2, 3, 4; Class Play 3, 4; Government Club 4.

Here's hoping you succeed in the future — Love, Grace. (Fancy)

ESTELLE LORETTA PHILLIPS

"And a gentle tongue is a tree of life."

Athletic Association 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Secretary 2; Home Economics Club 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; Government Club 4.

Best wishes for your future Estelle

JUANITA LORRAINE PLEASANTS

"She has a frown, she uses sharp words, but she can smile and be the merriest of girls."

Athletic Association 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; Government Club 4.

Best of luck in the future

The Reflector

Best wishes Robert Powell

ROBERT DUNLOP POWELL, JR.

"He who has the natural ability of getting along with little effort has something to be proud of."

Athletic Association 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 3, 4; Class Play 3, 4; Old Ironsides Club 4; Derby Club 4; Government Club 4; "C" Club 4; Track 4; Sports Editor "Reflector" 4; Love-lorn Editor "Chester Hi News" 4.

Best wishes always. Frances

FRANCES LLEWELLYN PRETLOW

"How modest, well accomplished and wise."

Home Economics Club 2; Government Club 4; Athletic Association 2, 3, 4; Typist "Reflector" 4.

Margaret, don't forget I wrote you about you. Rosalie

ROSA LEE PRIDE

"She is just the quiet kind whose good nature never varies."

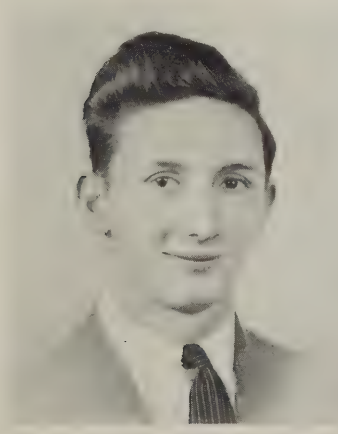
Home Economics Club 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 3, 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; Government Club 4; Athletic Association 4.

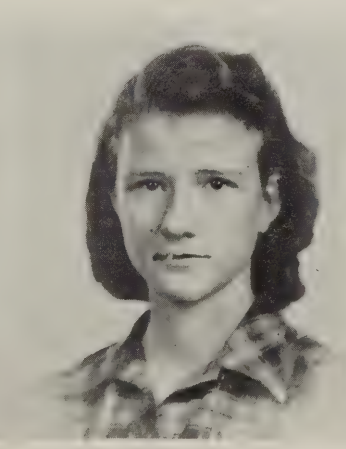
Best wishes always, Charlie

CHARLIE REID QUAIFF

"A heart that thrills to music's magic charms."

Athletic Association 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Vice-President Glee Club 3; Secretary-Treasurer Glee Club 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; Government Club 4; Assistant Business Manager "Reflector" 4.





TERESA LUCILLE RUST

"Jolly, yet serious; fun-loving, yet sincere."

Hopewell High School 1, 2; Hopewell High School Annual Minstrel 1; Athletic Association 1, 2; Class Representative 1, 2; Chester High School 3, 4; Basketball 3; Commercial Club 4; Government Club 4; Athletic Association 3, 4.

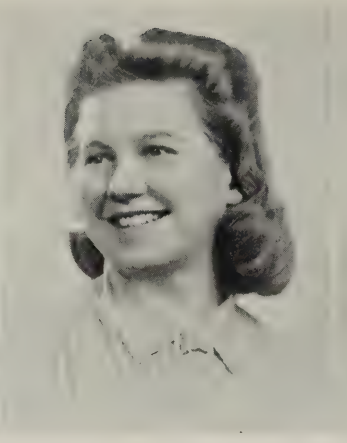
Margaret:
you looking
be happy and
the same forever.
Love & Lucille

BEADIE LOUISE SAUNDERS

"Sweetness of disposition charms the soul."

Scottsburg High School 1, 2, 3; Athletic Association 1, 2, 3; Chester High School 4; Athletic Association 4; Government Club 4.

Lots of luck & happiness, go with you.
Beadie

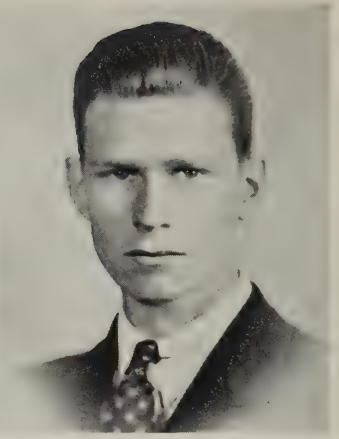


MARION SALE SCHOMBURG

"Thou art so sweet and kind."

Home Economics Club 2, 3, 4; President 3; Athletic Association 2, 4; Glee Club 3, 4; Government Club 4.

Dear Margaret,
I hope you have lots of luck, and also much success.
Marion



WALLACE REID SCOTT

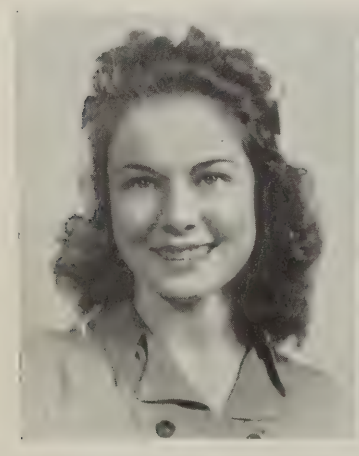
"Alas, how love can trifle with itself."

Glee Club.

The Reflector

Dear Margaret
I'm so sure you'll be successful. Best of luck & success in life.

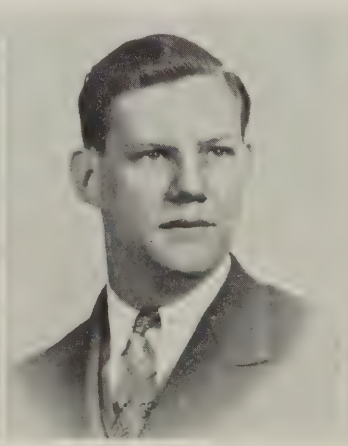
May you succeed in everything you undertake indeed.
Happy landing.



FRANCES SHEILD SHOOSMITH

"As true of heart as sweet of face, With gay and girlish air."

Athletic Association 2, 3, 4; Home Economics Club 2, 3, 4; Class Play 3; Government Club 4.

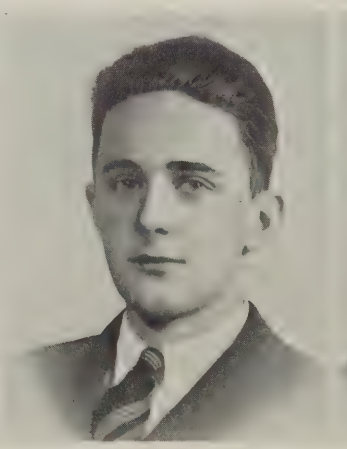


DAVID BOYD SMALL

"Oh love, thou art a blessed thing!"

Petersburg High School 1, 2; Chester High School 3, 4; Football 3; Athletic Association 3, 4; Commercial Club 4; Government Club 4.

Lots of luck in everything you try.
Wilton

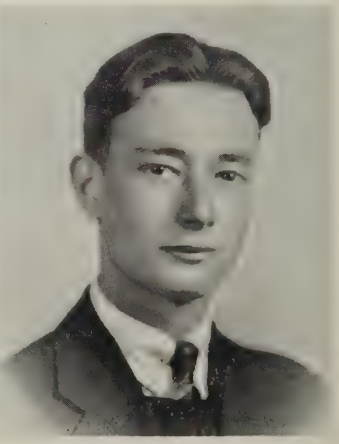


WILTON O. SNELLING

"He reads much, he's a close observer, And he looks quite through the deeds of men."

Athletic Association 1, 2, 3, 4; Library Club 1; Government Club 4; Newspaper Staff 4; Annual Staff 4.

May your future be as happy as your past.
Walden



WALDEN ARTHUR TAYLOR

"Well-timed silence both more eloquence than speech."

Government Club 4; Athletic Association 3, 4; "Chester High News Typist 4; Annual Staff "Reflector" Typist.

VIRGINIA O'DELL TOLER

"Happy am I; from care I am free! Why aren't they all contented like me?"

Bellemeade Junior High School 1; Girls Reserve 1; 4-H Club 1; Chester High School 2, 3, 4; Athletic Association 2, 3, 4; Home Economics Club 3, 4; Government Club 4.

May your life be as happy as your and I going to school together. - Tolo"

MARGARET PAULINE VENABLE

"Sweetness of disposition charms the soul"

Athletic Association 1, 3, 4; Home Economics Club 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; Glee Club 3, 4.

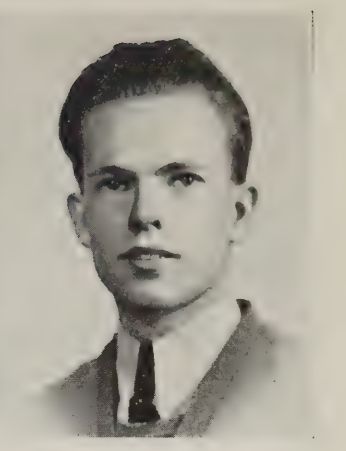
Lots of success in the future. Margaret

GLORIA LILLNETTE WARREN

"Success depends not on what you are, but on what you do."

Bellemeade Junior High School 1; Secretary Girls Reserve 1; Class President 1; Class Play 1; Chester High School 2, 3, 4; Athletic Association 2, 3, 4; Government Club 4; Home Economics Club 2, 3, 4; Vice-President Junior Red Cross 4; Club Editor "Chester Hi News" 4.

I have enjoyed knowing you, and for you wish the best of luck always. Gloria



MARK EVANS WILSON

"For even tho vanquished, he can argue still."

Track 4; Government Club 4.

Best wishes for a [illegible] and prosperous life. Mark

The Reflector

Best Wishes [illegible]

JAMES ELMO WRIGHT

"Pleasure fill your youthful year, Drop your studies if they interfere."

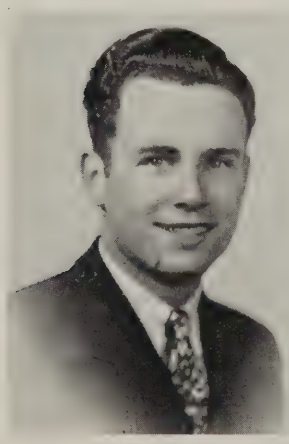
Midlothian High School 1, 2; Athletic Association 1, 2; Ramblers Club 1, 2; Dramatic Club 1, 2; Powhatan High School 2, 3; Athletic Association 2, 3; Future Farmers of America 2, 3; Literary Society 2, 3; Dramatic Club 2, 3; Glee Club 2, 3; Minstrel 2, 3; Highland Springs High School 3, 4; School Citizens Association 3, 4; Athletic Association 3, 4; Honor Committee 3, 4; Chester High School 4; Commercial Club 4; Government Club 4.

THELMA LEE ZIMMERMAN

"She with a face so clear and bright."

Danieltown High School 1; 4-H Club 1; Junior League 1; Chester High School 2, 3, 4; Athletic Association 2, 3, 4; Home Economics Club 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 3, 4; Government Club 4.

Best of luck [illegible]



CLASS HISTORY

TODAY, as we stand on the threshold of life, we pause to reflect on the memories of yesterday which make up the history of today.

In the fall of '36 as bewildered Freshmen we began our high school career together. Termed obstreperous, we were soon tamed under the sponsorship of Miss Eleanor Blum, Miss Edna Henderson, Mr. Aubrey Bass, and Mr. Elbert Wright. We organized as a class with Frances Richardson, president.

Our second year found us with quite a few new students, and one of these, Mildred Manahan, became our president. That year we selected Ann Lindsey as our mascot. The year passed swiftly for us and ended in the spring with a delightful picnic of lasting memories.

Our Junior year found us excited to be upper-classmen, and again Mildred Manahan was our able president. A trip to Washington, D. C., sponsored by the Seniors was an opportunity of which many of us took advantage. In the spring we presented the annual Junior Play, "*Who Wouldn't Be Crazy.*" The success of this dramatic venture enabled us to give the Seniors a reception later on and to present a gift to the school. We departed at the close of the year ever conscious of returning in the fall. With both joy and sorrow in our hearts—joy because it would mean the success of one phase of our youthful lives, and sorrow because it would mean a separation of paths for us all, and the end of our days at Chester High School, we returned.

For three years we struggled with our aspirations of becoming Seniors and at last we were! We turned our attention first to elections, and chose for president, John Jones. We observed Class Day by posing as well-known characters—either real or fictious. In our midst that day we will always remember Hitler, Heidi, Jack and Jill, and all the others. From this we turned to the Class Play which our sponsors, Miss Gladys Moses and Miss Nancy Creath, helped to make a success.

We organized a government club which published a newspaper creating much interest throughout the school. We spent a day at the General Assembly in Richmond, and a day in Washington, D. C. Mr. Britton deserves credit for giving us these two highly educational as well as pleasurable trips.

Finally, work on the Year Book was begun, and with John Jones as editor-in-chief and Jimmy Goodwyn as business manager it seemed highly probable that our "Reflector" would be a success.

Instead of the usual May Day, a Field Day was the outstanding event of the spring. On this day the Athletic Field was dedicated.

We closed our extra-curricular activities with the most important and most looked-forward-to social event of the season, the Junior-Senior Reception.

And now, at last, we have the realization of all our hopes and dreams within our grasp—graduation! Our sincerest wish is that we may be favored in the future with as much grace as in the past. In gratitude, we pause to show our love and appreciation for Chester High School.

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

WE, the Senior Class of Chester High School, in the year of the Lord, 1940, departing from these beloved halls, setting out to explore and conquer a new and strange world, and being of a sound and disposing mind, make, ordain, and publish this, our Last Will and Testament, in the manner and form following:

ARTICLE I.

Section 1. To Mr. E. S. H. Greene, our most efficient Superintendent, we will a two weeks' vacation with full pay, during which time he may rest up from the effort he spent in getting a new high school for us.

Section 2. To Mr. Fred Thompson, our beloved principal, we will the gratification for all the things he has done for us, and the many improvements he has gained for Chester High in the three years that he has been principal here.

ARTICLE II.

Section 1. To Miss Gladys Moses, our Senior sponsor, we will a ten minute home room roll-call period, so that her pupils will not be the last ones out of the school in the afternoon.

Section 2. To Miss Nancy Creath, our Senior sponsor, we will a trigonometry class that will not take advantage of her willingness to help them by making her work almost all of their homework for them.

Section 3. To Miss Julia Melba Alley, junior and senior English teacher, we will an English IV class that will pay attention to what she says in class at least twice a week.

Section 4. To Miss Edna Henderson, history teacher, we will a world map with elastic boundaries to meet the ever-changing conditions.

Section 4. To Mr. Wilson Crump, Derby Club sponsor, we will a coat with large pockets so that he may store away plenty of refreshments at club meetings.

Section 6. To Miss Elizabeth Pickhardt, sophomore English teacher, we will a streamlined, five-year guaranteed clock with an unbreakable face, to replace her dilapidated one.

Section 7. To Miss LeClaire Daughtrey, commercial teacher, we will

ten new typewriting books and a chest to lock them in, so that some of her pupils will not take them home and forget to bring them back.

Section 8. To Miss Elisabeth McDonald, French teacher, we will a senior French class that will translate their French homework before coming to class.

Section 9. To Mr. R. J. Britton, social science teacher, we will a five year high school course, so that some of his pupils will finally graduate.

Section 10. To Mr. James H. Bailey, freshman English and social science teacher, we will many more years of success as instructor, and director of freshman plays.

Section 11. To Mr. D. B. Orcutt, science teacher, we will a solid gold frame, in which he may insert a certain matrimonial certificate that he received this past winter.

Section 12. To Miss Grace Schultz, our home economics teacher, we will a cook book which stresses the arts of pastry and bread making.

Section 13. To Miss Martha Moreland, our librarian, we will ten new mouse traps to be used to prevent another riot in the library.

Section 14. To Miss Betsy Blanton, mathematics and English teacher, we will a book entitled, *How to Drive in Ten Easy Lessons*, which we hope will reveal valuable information to her.

Section 15. To Mr. Cleveland C. Kern, our science teacher, we will a class room in which he may teach physics, without having to climb over the students to get to materials.

ARTICLE III.

Section 1. To the Junior Class, we will the experience of finding out that being a senior requires far more finances than being a junior.

Section 2. To the Sophomore Class, we will the privilege of giving a three-act play as good as the one the Junior class gave this year.

Section 3. To the Freshman Class, we will the honor of having their home rooms on the first floor, instead of in the basement as formerly.

ARTICLE IV.

Section 1. To the Derby Club, we will a 1929 Ford, to be used by the members from up Bellemeade way who always give as their excuse for being absent: "We live so far away and have no way of getting to the meetings."

Section 2. To the Old Ironsides Club, we will Saturday night, on which to hold their meetings, trusting that they will not have to postpone them on account of any other club meetings.

Section 3. To the Commercial Club, we will twenty students who will come to every meeting and take part in discussions, and also—pay their dues.

Section 4. To the Home Economics Club, we will ¼ pound of butter, ½ pound of sugar, 2 pounds of flour, and one loaf of bread; and may their cupboard never be bare.

Section 5. To the Glee Club, we will a group of students who are always ready and willing to work with Miss Robinson and Miss Groth, instead of always neglecting Glee Club meetings to go to some other club meeting.

Section 6. To the newly formed "C" Club, we will a large letter "C" which is to be hung in the hall on meeting days, so that there will be less absentees.

Section 7. To the newly formed Government Club, we will such success with their 1941 trip to Washington that they will have to charter five streamlined "Greyhounds."

ARTICLE V.

Section 1. To the Football Team, we will a squad of forty boys who are willing to work hard with Mr. Cleveland C. Kern, our coach, and bring as many victories as this year's team did.

Section 2. To the Baseball Team, we will two dozen new uniforms that are second to those of no other high school in Virginia, hoping that this will prevent the boys from getting "uniform fright."

Section 3. To the newly formed Track Team, we will many more years of success as they have had this year under the able guidance of Coach Kern.

Section 4. To the Girls' Basketball Team, we will a separate hot water system so that they will not use all of the hot water, leaving none for the football team.

We, the Senior Class of 1940, having fulfilled our duty to the best of our ability, do herewith subscribe our name and affix our seal to this, our Last Will and Testament.

(Signed)
SENIOR CLASS OF 1940.

The following upon our request have agreed to let us use their names as witnesses.

The Saturday Evening Ghost.
Sleeping Beauty of Loreland.
Pinocchio.

CLASS PROPHECY

While visiting Santa Clause one day,
I inquired about our Class of '40.
Indeed I was surprised when I heard him say,
"Well, most are good, but a few are naughty."

Upon this I was deeply impressed
And begged to hear some more.
He settled back into his chair
And I sat upon the floor.

Mark Wilson is still talking,
As a lawyer he is the best;
His opponents have to give in to him
Because he never lets them rest.

Agnes and Sara Foy are at last content,
Interior decorating is their only care:
While Constance Loften is modeling clothes—
With her sophisticated air.

Adele is a school teacher—
Teaching the 3A's,
While Frances Munn is on Broadway
Starring in famous plays.

Jane Flippen is a nurse
All dressed in white;
She looks after her patients
Both day and night.

Evelyn is at the switchboard,
Plugging in the calls;
Edna Bean is spending her honeymoon
At Niagra Falls.

Harry Brown has been named
The all-American of the year,
While Ray Adams is running races
With the swiftness of a deer.

Grace Phillips has been acclaimed
The greatest playwright of the day;
Charles Munn is in New York
Appearing in her latest play.

David Small and Jesse Eyler fly for T. V. A.
Two of the best pilots in the air—
When they are at the controls,
You couldn't be in better care.

Robert Powell is in Pensacola—
The Chief Aeronautical Engineer,
And John Jones is winner of the Nobel Prize
For the outstanding discovery of the year.

The best of farmers is Richie Clarke;
He grows good corn and wheat.
Mildred Manahan is Miss America,
Making her living just by looking sweet.

Lacy Guill runs a flying school—
Teaching people how to fly,
While glamour-boy George Gibson
Is sending girls' hearts up to the sky.

Garland Laine is stage manager,
Giving the necessary effects;
While Wilton Snelling is signing contracts
To undertake important projects.

In the field of Literature
Lois and Helen write the best articles;
Billy Adams is in the laboratory
Smashing minute particles.

Anna Marie is at Vassar—
The Senior Class President;
And Phyllis is buying clothes
To her heart's content.

James Wright is at the races,
Where the betting's thick and fast;
From the look of his face
His horse must have come in last.

Dick Barnes is a Fuller Brush Man,
Traveling from door to door;
Virginia Toler stands up all day
Working in a department store.

Bernice and Marjorie are beauticians,
Fixing hair and lifting faces;
Now that their service has been rendered
More beauties are seen in public places.

A gentle doctor is Marion Schomburg,
With a capable staff filling all positions.
Juanita Howard and Louise Loftin are nurses,
And Eliza Collins is supervisor of all dieticians.

The most daring auto race ever seen
Is when Randolph Longest is at the wheel,
He can make a car do anything,
Even the Virginia Reel.

Charlie Quaiff has a famous orchestra—
He's no longer in the band;
Thelma Zimmerman is his vocalist,
Now favorite singer of the land.

Traveling all over the world,
Seeing Paris, Rome, and the tomb of King James,
Are Frances Shoosmith and Loretta Phillips,
That is, if no one has changed their names.

With fingers long and slender,
Stands Onis at the easel,
The first painting she created,
Was the "Chickens and the Weasel."

Edyth McAllister and Alma Moack,
Two leading stars on WRVA,
Really slay the audience to the floor
When they turn on their O-0-M-P-H-A!

Nancy Irvin is a grammarian—
Teaching people what to say;
Charles David has his hands full,
Predicting the weather each day.

Jimmy Goodwyn is a great asset to business—
As head manager he's very competent;
Gloria lectures whenever she can,
On subjects of good intent.

Llewellyn is a comptometer operator—
In this she never fails.
And in Joe Brewer's Barber Shop
Lucille Rust is manicuring nails.

Helen Lyttle is at Palm Beach,
Posing on the sand,
While Juanita and Eileen are at their desks
Taking dictation in shorthand.

When Walden is at a typewriter,
He's faster than the eye can see.
Lynette is selecting her trouseau. . . . .
A future bride to be.

Rosalie keeps us well informed
On all the latest styles;
And Elizabeth Blankenship and Shirley Bury are bookkeepers
With correct and accurate files.

Margaret Venable is taking dictation,
(on a desk, not the boss's knee).
While Margaret Patterson is a Hostess
As busy as a bee.

RITA HATCHER.
OGDEN PAREDES.

To the Prophets:

Rita is in the laboratory—
Deeply absorbed in science.
Much progress has been achieved,
Due to her technical appliance.

Helping people ease the pain—
Knowing just what to do,
Is young Doctor Ogden Paredes
Known well by me and you.

CLASSES

JUNIOR CLASS

Junior Class

Motto:

"Never is there neither work without reward, nor reward without work being expended."

Flower: Red and yellow roses

Colors: Maroon and gold

Mascot: Peggy Terrell

OFFICERS:

Billy Pickhardt ---------- President
Bobby Terrell ---------- Vice-President
Duane Curtis ---------- Secretary-Treasurer

Sponsors:

Miss Henderson

Miss Alley

CLASS ROLL:

Blanche Ayscue
Christine Barden
Virginia Barden
James Bartle
Louise Beckner
Emmett Birdsong
Ethel Birdsong
Jean Bowery
Anlouise Brand
Charles Brown
John Buren
Thomas Bury
Fred Bush
Roy Castlebury
Margaret Caudle
Luther Chandler, Jr.
Margaret Clark
Billy Cogbill, Jr.
Gertrude Cole
Bobby Collie
Katherine Cousins
Warren Cunningham
James Currie
Duane Curtis
Frank Curtis
Percy Curtis, Jr.
William Dunnavent
Kay Ellison
Norton Epperson
Shirley Epperson
Virginia Eyler
Louis Farmer
Mary Fisher
Joyce Floyd
Barbara Fuller
Louise Garton
Ernest Gates
Nellie Gemundt
Martha Goodwyn
Billy Goyne
Jane Goyne
Edwin Greene, Jr.
John Guill
Peggy Hagen
Lily Hancock
Andrew Harper, Jr.
Mavis Howard
Alvin Hungersford
Edward Isbell
George Jinkins
Levi Johnson
Richard Johnson
Emma Jones
John Kellam
Martha Landrum
Garland Langster
Cornelia Lowe
Leo Lundi
Heber Martin
Gilbert Martin
Rose Martin
Gordon Miles
Philbert Neatrour
Vernon Neblett
Mary Sue Palmer
Gaynelle Parham
Mary Helen Perkinson
Margaret Perrin
Dorothy Pettway
Teresa Pleasants
Billy Pickhardt
Earl Pool
Bobby Powell
Carolyn Putney
Frances Quaiff
Anderson Roberts
Elizabeth Scavborough
Carl Sherman, Jr.
Frances Shoosmith
Julia Mae Snead
Martha Jane Snead
Thomas Snellings
Henry Spiers
Gus Stein
Bobby Terrell
Mabel Terrell
Eugene Thunman
Lynwood Tiller
Alma Traylor
Warren Underwood
Beatrice Vaughn
Margaret Walden
Dorothy Walker
Thomas Wilmoth
Earl Worsham

SOPHOMORE CLASS

Sophomore Class

Motto: "Ready and Willing"

Flower: White Rose

Colors: Red and White

OFFICERS:

Ann Watkins Bruce ---------- President
Nancy Cogbill ---------- Vice-President
Frances Farmer ---------- Secretary-Treasurer

Mascot: Katharine Kern

Sponsors:
Miss Pickhardt Mr. Crump Miss Daughtrey

CLASS ROLL:

Gaynelle Adams
Wiley Adams
Orel Babcock
Elizabeth Bishop
Edwin Brown
Ann Watkins Bruce
Ercelle Cersley
Bernice Clarke
Nancy Cogbill
Virginia Durrer
Frances Farmer
Dorothy Ficke
Bernard Flagler
Clara Foster
Hilda Franklin
Mary Alice Friel
Patsy Friel
Morris Garrison
Phyllis Gary
Polly Gay
Anne Goodloe
Jack Goodloe
Peach Goyne
Millie Pearl Hanchey
Frances Henshaw
Edward Hill
Katherine Holman
Rose Mary Hotz
Wayne Hudson
Tim Jennings
Betty Jane Jordan
Robert Jordan
Raymond Johnson
Calvin Joyner
Virginia Kettell
Arline Langster
Vernelle Lewis
Edith Maitland
Welton Mann
Myrtle Martin
Frank Moody
Phyllis Moore
Bobby Morrisette
Joe Peppin
Pauline Parham
Betty Roundtree
William Riley
Doris Snellings
Doris Strange
Shirley Tucker
David Truby
Mary Vaughan
Joseph Worgafcak
James Wadkins
John Walter
Sherwood Wilson
Margaret Walton
Ann Williams
Ethel Wilmoth
Nancy Walke
Alice Wilds
Virginia Worsham
Jean Whisnant
Elsabeth Osborne

FRESHMAN CLASS

Best Wishes
Virginia Pillow

Freshman Class

Motto: Be Prepared

Flower—Red Rose

Colors—Blue and Gold

OFFICERS:

William Martin ---------- President
Ruby Noll ---------- Vice-President
George Stephens ---------- Secretary-Treasurer

Sponsors:

Miss McDonald Mr. Bailey Mr. Britton Mr. Orcutt

CLASS ROLL:

Floyd Adams
Clarence Ammons
Ralph Andrews
Anne Bean
Ray Beckman
Adeline Blankenship
John Blankenship
Evelyn Blunt
Rose Blunt
Clifford Bosher
Mildred Bowen
Herbert Bryant
Kathleen Burene
Alease Burton
George Burton
Wayne Burton
Marion Cain
Jean Carr
Anita Cassie
Fay Chesson
Elsie Clark
Mae Clark
Allen Clarke
Doris Critcher
Carrington Cunningham
Sherman Cunningham
Nell Curtis
Robert Dance
Robert Davidson
Richard Davidson
Edward Davis
Glen Dean
Kenneth Dobson
Carrol Durrer
Margaret Edwards
Fred Elliott
Lucille Eyler
Audrey Faris
Blanche Fers
Edith Fers
George Fisher
Beverly Fitchett
Margaret Fitzgerald
Dorothy Flippen
Florence Flippen
Dorothy Ford
Gloria Frick
Charles Frith
Maxine Garton
Harry George
Richard Gillespie
Maury Goodloe
Vernon Goyne
Estelle Grant
Marian Grantham
Oliver Graves
Rose Graves
Martin Grinstead
Estelle Guill
Margaret Gibson
Dorothy Hailey
Mildred Hazelwood
Ira Hepburn
Otis Hingerty, Jr.
Elizabeth Hobeck
Howard Hobeck
Edwin Holloway
Kenneth Holloway
Mary Hopson
Claire Horner
Evelyn House
Lonez House
Darrell Howard
John Howard
William Howell
Gail Hughes
Alfred Hunter
Susan Hunter
Phyllis James
Irene Johnson
Edward Johnson
George Johnson
Alton Jones
Jacquelyn Jones
Nola Jean Jones
Billy Jordon
Frances Jordon
Katherine Kennon
Helen Kersey
Jean Kirby
Mildred Landrum
Joseph Lanzarone
Virgie Layne
Julian Lipscomb
John Luntsford
Robert Maitland
Jasper Martin
Luther Martin
William Martin
Lorene Milan
Ruth Mitchell
Dorothy Moore
Warren McKay
Dorothy McLaughlin
Mary Neatrour
Ruby Noll
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Gene Slaughter
Mary Ann Spiers
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Thomas Stone
June Stopt
William Stubbs
Elmer Swann
Donald Taylor
Moncrief Terrell
Phyllis Thunman
Phil Trimmer
Charlotte Tucker
Robert Tucker
Sarah Tucker
Nettie Turner
Bill Tuttle
Julian Vaughn
Margaret Vickers
Clarice West
Raymond Wilkinson
B. B. Williams
Clara Williams
Eva Worsham
Evelyn Wrenn
James Yates
Violet Zahn

Best wishes for your future success and happiness
Phi. Jones

Best Wishes always
Mary Franck

Post Graduates

Motto:

"But dost thou love life? Then do not squander time, for that is the stuff life is made of."

Colors: Purple and Gold

OFFICERS:

Rachel Hopson ---------- President
Lois Parham ---------- Vice-President
Juanita Terrell ---------- Secretary-Treasurer

Lots of luck
Emma Vaughn

CLASS ROLL:

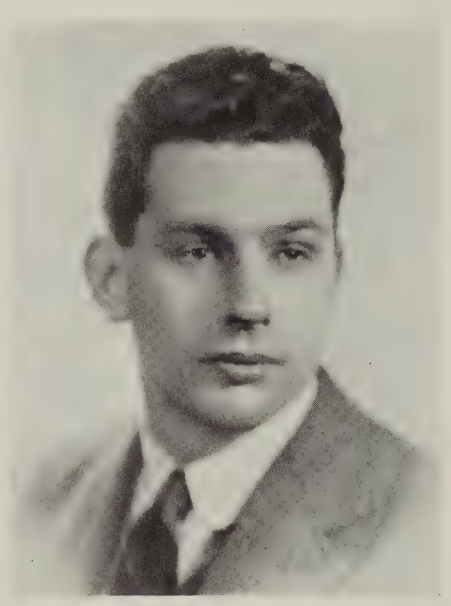
Mary Franck	Stamie Lyttle	Juanita Terrell
Marjorie Goyne	Lois Parham	Nolton Turner
Rachel Hopson	Dorinda Schaffer	Emma Vaughn
Edith Jordon	Garland Smith	Frances Yancy

The Post Graduates have learned that graduation from school was not the glorious adventure that they had looked forward to, so they decided to remain another year in order that they might better equip themselves for the future.

Good luck to you all
Mary Franck

ATHLETICS

ATHLETIC DIRECTORS



Mr. Cleveland Kern

Sincere best wishes and good luck. Cleve Kern

Miss Edna Henderson

Too bad I could not teach you this last year, but here's wishing you much success Edna C. Henderson

Football

Cleveland C. Kern ..... Coach Jimmy Goodwyn ..... Manager

Captain: H. Brown

SQUAD:

J. Jones	End	H. Southee	Guard
B. Graham	End	P. Battle	Guard
L. Johnson	End	E. Gates	Guard
J. Goodloe	End	T. Snellings	Center
E. Thunman	End	W. Stubbs	Center
R. Adams	End	B. Terrell	Back
B. Pickhardt	Tackle	L. Chandler	Back
T. Nichols	Tackle	J. Eyler	Back
C. Bishop	Tackle	R. Powell	Back
M. Patrick	Tackle	R. Tucker	Back
G. Jinkins	Tackle	H. Brown	Back
H. Putney	Tackle	E. Birdsong	Back
G. Tucker	Tackle	H. Jones	Back
E. Isbel	Guard	R. Longest	Back
L. Bryant	Guard	W. Underwood	Back

Best of Luck always
JINX
- 10 -
Lots of Luck"
Thomas Nichols

RESULTS OF SCHEDULE

Sept. 16	Chester	6		Virginia Industrial School	0
Sept. 23	Chester	17		Granby	7
Sept. 29	Chester	7		Westhampton	7
Oct. 6	Chester	0		Crewe	26
Oct. 13	Chester	19		South Norfolk	7
Oct. 20	Chester	26		Blackstone	12
Oct. 26	Chester	13		Morrison	6
Nov. 4	Chester	0		Suffolk	7
Nov. 11	Chester	7		Fluvanna	6
Nov. 19	Chester	28		South Boston	0
Total Points		123			78

Best "Wishes"
Levi Johnson

Best of luck always
Billy Pickhardt

Football

Chester, 6; Virginia Industrial School, 0

The Chester "Maroons" donned their bright new Maroon and Gold uniforms and went into their initial battle of the year against the Virginia Industrial School. Considering that this was the first game, for many of the boys, they did exceptionally well. The battle was a very even match with neither team making any very great advances. The lone score of the game was made by H. Brown. The try for conversion was missed.

Chester, 17; Granby, 7

Chester High, trailing 2 to 7 at the end of the first half, rallied to win a 17 to 7 victory over Granby High at Foreman Field. Chester scored a safety in the first quarter, and Granby scored 7 points in the second quarter when White crashed over and added the extra point. The outstanding feat of the game was Bobby Terrell's 93 yard run for a touchdown on the opening kick-off of the second half. He passed to "Mutt" Longest for the extra point. David Small and Ed Isbell blocked a kick for another safety in the third quarter. A 22-yard pass from Harry Brown to Terrell was good for Chester's last touchdown in the fourth quarter.

Chester, 7; Westhampton, 7

Westhampton High School's Dragons and Chester High's Maroons battled to a 7 to 7 tie at Chester in a Class B League game. Chester scored in the third quarter when John Jones caught a pass and ran 40 yards for a touchdown. A pass to Bobby Terrell scored the extra point. Raymond Smith caught a pass in the fourth quarter and ran 45 yards for the Dragon score; Smith also place-kicked the extra point. Westhampton marched down to Chester's 5-yard line in the second quarter but lost the ball on downs.

Crewe, 26; Chester, 0

Long John Pond caught two touchdown passes and two passes for extra points to lead Crewe High School to a crushing 26 to 0 victory over Chester. The Railroaders scored on the third play after a fumble by Chester on the opening kick-off. Pond recovered and two plays later struck the goal line. Tippy Morgan and Bill Kelley scored one touchdown apiece for the Railroaders.

Chester, 19; South Norfolk, 7

Chester scored a 19 to 7 victory over South Norfolk there. Chester made two of its touchdowns in the first quarter and added a third in the third quarter.

Chester, 26; Blackstone, 12

A fighting Chester High football team knocked Blackstone High School out of the undefeated column by winning 26 to 12 before a large crowd. Chester marched 40 yards for its first touchdown in the first quarter. Robert Powell hit the line for the touchdown and Harry Brown passed to Terrell for the extra point.

Chester, 13; Morrison, 6

Chester scored in the second quarter when John Jones caught a 20-yard pass from Harry Brown on the 5-yard line and crossed the goal line. Morrison tied the count in the third period when Paris hit the line for a score. The try for conversion was missed. In the same quarter Chester came back to score the winning touchdown—Bruce Graham taking a heave from Brown and running 35 yards for the score. Brown passed to Terrell for the extra point.

Suffolk, 7; Chester, 0

The loss of this game was a bitter defeat, not because of the small margin by which it was lost, but because it ruined Chester's chance at the Class B championship. Although the boys tried hard to bring home the bacon, the Suffolk eleven came out with a 7-point lead.

Chester, 7; Fluvanna, 6

Next to the last game of the season Chester won by the small margin of an extra point, a pass caught by John Jones. The battle was nip and tuck all of the way until Powell finally crashed over guard for a score. The visitors scored on a long unsustained march to the goal line.

Chester, 28; South Boston, 0

Chester scored in every period to defeat South Boston by the large margin of 28 to 0. Harry Brown scored two touchdowns while Bobby Terrel and Robert Powell counted for one each. Terrell caught passes for the first three extra points and the last point was added by Brown.

Girls' Basketball

Rose Martin ..... Captain
Mary Sue Palmer ..... Manager
Adele Goyne ..... Assistant Manager
Miss Edna Henderson ..... Coach

VARSITY

Forwards:	Guards:
Rose Martin	Mary Fisher
Anne Goodloe	Cornelia Lowe
Jane Goyne	Rita Hatcher

Substitute: Iva Lee Coats

RESULTS OF SCHEDULE:

Oct.	25	Chester	10	Midlothian		16
Nov.	1	Chester	12	Grange Hall		11
Nov.	8	Chester	7	Manchester		21
Nov.	11	Chester	26	St. Joseph		21
Nov.	15	Chester	14	Midlothian		22
Nov.	29	Chester	17	Grange Hall		13
Dec.	6	Chester	20	Manchester		17
Dec.	8	Chester	9	St. Joseph		17
Total Points			115			138

Girls' Basketball

Early in October basketball practice started with a promising group of girls interested. Rose Martin acted as captain, Mary Sue Palmer, manager, and Adele Goyne, assistant manager. Miss Edna Henderson coached the team as only she can do.

The season opened October 25 with our opponent, Midlothian, defeating us by six points. The final score was 15 to 10; but in the game with Grange Hall the Chester girls battled to win by a score of 12 to 11.

Manchester was the team's next game but they were defeated 21 to 7. Again the team had the taste of defeat and practiced only harder to beat St. Joseph's girls by the score of 26 to 21. This was an indoor game on the evening of November 11.

On November 15 Midlothian defeated Chester for the second time, the score being 22 to 14. Chester was victorious over her next two foes, Grange Hall and Manchester, taking Grange Hall by a score of 17 to 13 and Manchester by a score of 20 to 17.

Baseball

Cleveland C. Kern ..... Coach Jimmy Goodwyn ..... Manager

SQUAD:

G. Burton	R. Terrell	W. Hanchey
R. Collie	L. Guill	S. Dance
L. Farmer	R. Longest	E. Birdsong
H. Addington	R. Maitland	R. Adams
L. Johnson	C. Brown	M. Patterson
W. Stubbs	H. Brown	H. Jones
J. Buren	J. Walters	E. Greene

SCHEDULE OF GAMES:

Date:	Opponent:	Place:
March 29	Grange Hall	Chester
April 2	Hopewell	Hopewell
April 9	Manchester	Chester
April 12	Highland Springs	Chester
April 13	U. Richmond Frosh	Richmond
April 16	Grange Hall	Grange Hall
April 18	Midlothian	Chester
April 23	Hopewell	Chester
April 26	Jefferson	Jefferson
April 30	Manchester	Manchester
May 2	U. Richmond Frosh	Chester
May 7	Midlothian	Midlothian
May 14	Jefferson	Chester
May 17	Highland Springs	Highland Springs

Track

Cleveland C. Kern ..... Coach Jimmy Goodwyn ..... Manager

SQUAD:

Bobby Terrell	Jack Goodloe
Harry Southee	John Jones
Jack Cogbill	Ogden Paredes
Levi Johnson	Harry Brown
Robert Powell	Bruce Graham
Billy Pickhardt	Mark Wilson
Joe Brewer	Billy Goyne
Ray Adams	

SCHEDULE OF MEETS:

Date:	Opponent:	Place:
March 28	Hopewell	Hopewell
April 20	District Class B Meet	Richmond
April 26	Woodberry Forest	Woodberry Forest
May 4	John Marshall	Richmond
May 10 - 11	State Meet	Charlottesville

After an absence of several years, track has been revived at Chester. The renewal of interest in this great sport has been due largely to the enthusiastic and inspiring leadership of Coach Cleveland Kern. While on the University of Richmond track team Coach Kern broke the State A. A. U. record three times for the discus throw.

Track, in the past, was one of the most popular of sports at Chester High. This fact is substantiated by the number of loving cups received by the teams. These cups are now on exhibition in the library.

This year the team has progresed remarkably, being defeated by Hopewell only eleven points. It should make a very good showing at the State Class B meet in Charlottesville.

Track

CLUBS

Old Ironsides Club

Motto: "Sailing toward the horizon."

Flower: Water Lily Colors: Blue and Gold

Mascots: Bill Goodwyn, Mary Lou Robertson

OFFICERS:

President ..... Mildred Manahan
Vice-President ..... John Jones
Secretary and Treasurer ..... Lois Parham

Sponsor: Miss Edna Henderson

Honorary Members:

Mr. E. S. H. Greene
Mr. Fred Thompson
Dr. W. T. Muse
Mrs. Lucius Robertson
Miss Helen Ward
Miss Maude Boswell

Since the O. I. C. was first organized in 1932, it has progressed rapidly and successfully under the guidance of its lovable and inspiring sponsor, Miss Edna Henderson.

The club has established, with its eight years of being, an air of honor among the students of Chester High, which comes from its being the oldest club of continuous existence in the school. In the life of its member, it has played a large part—both educationally and socially.

The busy social season culminated this year with a dinner dance at Westwood Supper Club.

Government Club

Motto: "Do unto others as you would have them do unto you."

Flower: Chrysanthemum

Colors: Red, White, Blue

OFFICERS:

President ---------- Ogden Paredes
Vice-President ---------- Lacy Guill
Secretary ---------- Juanita Howard
Treasurer ---------- Anna Marie Ficke
Historian ---------- Helen Curtis
Sergeant-at-arms ---------- Robert Powell

Sponsor: Mr. R. J. Britton

EXECUTIVE COUNCIL:

Wilton Snelling
Jimmy Goodwyn
Gloria Warren
John Jones

The government club consists only of members of the government classes. Its aim is for the betterment of the school and to create as much school spirit as possible.

The newspaper, published by the club, established a new interest in the school. Many dances and trips were sponsored by the club during the year.

Glee Club

Motto: "Music hath its charms"

Colors: Black and White

Flower: Bluebell

OFFICERS:

President ---------- Lois Parham
Vice-President ---------- Jane Flippen
Secretary and Treasurer ---------- Charlie Quaiff

Director: Miss Mary J. Robinson
Pianist: Miss Margaret Groth

It is true "music hath its charms" and for many years the glee club has acquired these charms. Through these years of instruction by Miss Mary Robinson, the club has brought home from the music festival a rating of "excellent" several times. This festival is an anual contest sponsored by the Music Educators National Conference and is open to all State schools. Chester High is justly proud of its Glee Club for its outstanding work.

The Ivol Spafford Home Economics Club

Motto: "It can be done, and we can do it."

Colors: Green and White

Flower: Ivy Leaf

Mascot: Cornelia Shawen

OFFICERS:

President ..... Ann Marie Ficke
Vice-President ..... Carolyn Putney
Secretary and Treasurer ..... Frances Munn

Sponsor: Miss Grace Schultz

Members of the Home Economics Club are those girls enrolled in school who are taking or have taken Home Economics. Its aim is to bring the home and school room closer together.

The club was in charge of the Christmas program and presented a playlet portraying the Christmas spirit. In the spring, the club was presented with a vacuum cleaner by the school board. As a gift to the cottage, the club donated an electric Mix-Master.

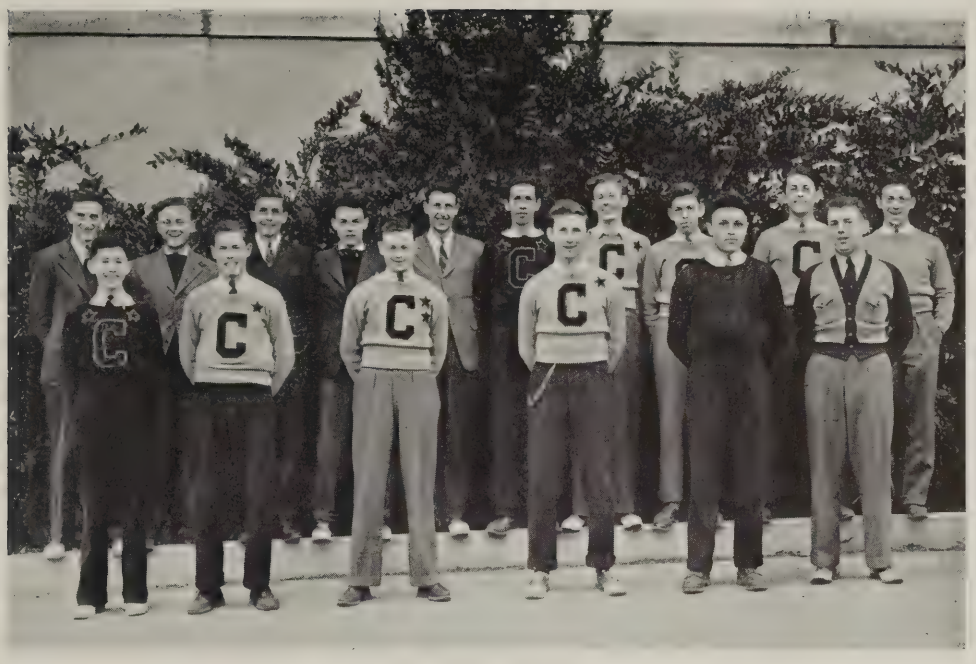
"C" Club

Colors: Maroon and Gray

President ..... John Jones
Vice-President ..... Harry Brown
Secretary and Treasurer ..... Jimmy Goodwyn

Sponsor: Mr. Cleveland Kern

The "C" Club is composed of the boys who have made letters in some sport at Chester. This club was reorganized this year under the supervision of Coach Cleveland Kern. The object of this club is to promote athletics among the students and scholarship among the athletes.



Derby Club

Colors: Black and White

OFFICERS:

President ..... John Jones
Vice-President ..... Robert Powell
Secretary and Treasurer ..... Jimmy Goodwyn

Sponsor: Mr. Wilson Crump

The Derby Club is a social club of boys, organized for the purpose of creating a better school spirit and co-operation among the students. During this year the club has sponsored several dances, a popularity contest, two one-act plays, and numerous parties.

Under the guidance of their sponsor, Mr. Crump, the membership has enjoyed a very successful year.

Commercial Club

Colors: Red and White

Flower: Red Rose

Mascot: Berkeley Lee Wilmoth

President ---------- Stamie Lyttle
Vice-President ---------- Lacy Guill
Secretary and Treasurer ---------- Lois Parham

Sponsor: Miss LeClaire Daughtrey

The Commercial Club, now in the height of its third year, was organized for the purpose of maintaining an interest in commercial subjects.

During this session, a series of entertainments was enjoyed by the members of the club, these being topped by a visit to the movie, "The Great Victor Herbert."

This club has assured us that it will go far in the future and be a great success.

ACTIVITIES

REFLECTOR STAFF
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WHO'S WHO
SNAPSHOTS
CALENDAR

1940 REFLECTOR STAFF

JOHN JONES
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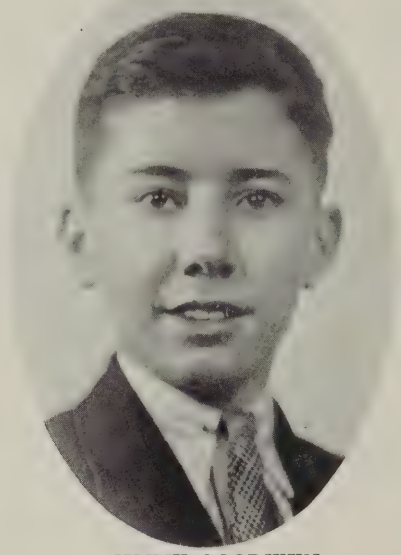

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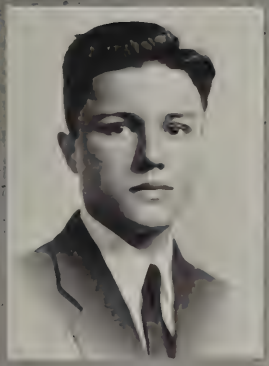

"MR. HIRAM OTIS"

"LUCRETIA"

"MRS. UMNEY"

"LORD ARCHIBALD ARCHIBALD"

Who's Who! 1940

RITA HATCHER
HARRY BROWN
"BEST SPORTS"

MILDRED MANAHAN
ROBERT POWELL
"MOST POPULAR"

JOHN JONES
ANNA MARIE FICKE
"MOST INTELLECTUAL"

MILDRED MANAHAN
GEORGE GIBSON
"BEST LOOKING"

RITA HATCHER
LACY GUILL
"MOST SCHOOL SPIRITED"

CHARLES MUNN
FRANCES MUNN
"CUTEST"

JEANNE BURTON
BRUCE GRAHAM
"LAZIEST"

GRACE PHILLIPS
ROBERT POWELL
"WITTIEST"

Who's Who! 1940

MILDRED MANAHAN
JOHN JONES
"BEST ALL ROUND"

RITA HATCHER
ROBERT POWELL
"BEST DANCER"

ANNA MARIE FICKE
JOHN JONES
"MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED"

ELIZABETH BLANKENSHIP
WALDEN TAYLOR
"MOST BASHFUL"

JANE FLIPPEN
DAVID SMALL
"BIGGEST FLIRTS"

RITA HATCHER
HARRY BROWN
"MOST ATHLETIC"

ELIZA COLLINS
HARRY BROWN
"BEST DRESSED"

GRACE PHILLIPS
BRUCE GRAHAM
"BIGGEST TALKER"

Snapshots

"MEMBERS OF THE STUDENT BODY"

"MAY I INTERRUPT YOUR CLASS FOR A FEW ANNOUNCEMENTS?"

"YES, MR. THOMPSON?"

"WELL, I CLAR'-"

"MR. WILMOTH AT WORK?"

"EVERYBODY SING!"

"FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED"

"LER'ER GO!"

Snapshots

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SCHOOL CALENDAR 1939-1940

Sept 7	First semester began.
15	Complete Sound System installed
29	Student Body election:
	President _____ Mildred Manahan
	Vice-President _____ Lacy Guill
	Sec'y.-Treas. _____ Carolyn Putney
Oct. 3	County Fair Holiday.
27	Athletic Carnival.
Nov. 22-27	Thanksgiving Holidays.
27	"Maid of Salem."
Dec. 18	"High, Wide, and Handsome."
21	Christmas Holidays began.
Jan. 2	School re-opened.
2	Heard "School of the Air" for first time.
12	Government Club organized.
19	"One Hundred Men and a Girl."
22-26	March of Dimes drive.
29	Second semester began.
Feb. 15	"Sleeping Beauty of Loreland" presented by Juniors.
16	Sophomore Class Day.
	Senior trip to State Capitol.
23	"Souls at Sea."
Mar. 1	Sophomore Leap Year Dance.
8	Senior Class Day.
15	"The Saturday Evening Ghost," presented by Seniors.
19	Trip to Museum of Fine Arts
20	"Wells Fargo."
21-27	Easter Holidays.
April 5	Senior "Informal Discussion" broadcast over W. R. V. A.
6	Government Club trip to Washington.
8	Old Ironsides Variety Show.
18-19	Music Festival
19	"The Buccaneer."
May 3	Field Day.
24	1940 Reflector released.
31	Junior-Senior Reception.
June 5	Vespers.
6	Class Night.
7	Commencement.

I'll Always Remember . . .

you and dear old Chester H.S. Don't ever forget French Class even if other things are forgotten with time. Lots of luck to a happy-go-lucky girl.

Mildred

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